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ANNUAL REPORTS

Town * of * Northfield.

— 1894 —

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ANNUAL REPORTS

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN ^{AND} TREASURER

—OF THE—

TOWN OF NORTHFIELD,

—TOGETHER WITH THE—

REPORTS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

—FOR THE YEAR ENDING—

FEBRUARY 15, 1894.

TILTON, N. H.

H. A. MORSE, PRINTER,

1894.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator,

Otis C. Wyatt.

Representative,

Edwin J. Young.

Town Clerk,

Luther H. Morrill.

Collector,

Joseph W. Hunkins.

Town Treasurer,

Albert C. Lord.

Selectmen,

Jason Foss,

Frank W. Shaw,

Arthur H. Hill.

Auditors,

Edwin D. Forrest,

Clarence W. Whicher,

John S. Winslow.

Supervisors,

Edwin D. Forrest,

Lowell M. French,

John S. Sargent.

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Moderator,

Gawn E. Gorrell.

Clerk,

Oscar P. Sanborn.

School Board,

Mabel W. Glines,

Charles J. Chamberlin,

Gawn E. Gorrell.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF NORTHFIELD.

Account of money furnished Albert C. Lord, Treasurer.

The Selectmen charge the Treasurer as follows :

Balance March 1st, 1893,	\$4,585.51
Cash received of State Treasurer, Railroad tax,	219.30
“ “ “ “ “ Literary fund,	104.12
“ “ “ “ “ Savings Bank tax,	1,458.87
“ “ “ “ “ Bounty on Hawks,	2.50
County of Merrimack Reimbursements,	202.55
L. H. Morrill, Town Clerk, dog license,	124.20
Loan from Selectmen,	1,000.00
Grange,	4.15
Iona Savings Bank dividend,	23.80
W. B. Fellows, J. Burke, fine,	3.00
“ “ H. Dearborn, fine,	2.00
Selectmen, license of Circus,	2.00
W. M. Cogswell, note and interest,	37.00
Fred Lord, rent of town hall,	6.00
J. W. Hunkins, Collector, Highway tax 1891,	16.10
“ “ Money tax, 1892,	330.00
“ “ “ “ 1893,	6,159.01
Interest on 1893 taxes,	8.08
	\$14,288.19

CREDIT ACCOUNTS.

Orders have been given by the Selectmen on the Treasurer to pay bills and claims as follows:

Town Bonds due May 1st, 1893,	\$5,100.00
Coupons,	180.00
State tax,	1,265.00
County tax,	1,275.49
Loan of Selectmen,	1,000.00
Gardner S. Abbott, interest on bond,	23.75
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	\$8,844.24

SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid Gawn E. Gorrell,	\$876.35
“ Frank Hill,	481.77
Frank Hill, dog tax, 1892,	32.35
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	\$1,390.47

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Paid Gawn E. Gorrell,	\$100.00
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REPAIRING SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Paid Gawn E. Gorrell,	\$100.00
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BOUNTY ON HAWKS.

Paid Frank Peverly,	\$.75
Ned Dearborn,	.50
Earnest G. Dow,	.25
Frank R. Titcomb,	.50
Willis M. Bachelder,	.25
Frank Robinson,	.25
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	\$2.50

COUNTY POOR.

Paid Lowell M. French,	aid to Peter Dubia	\$10.00
Napolian Terrien,	" " "	8.00
Jason Foss,	" " "	4.00
Copp & Abbott,	" " "	2.00
G. F. Weeks,	" " "	5.03
John S. Sargent,	" George Baker,	11.76
C. C. Paige,	" Lewis Laplant,	4.00
Rebeca G. Brown,	" Phebe Brown,	76.50
Hill & Philbrick,	" J. B. Glover,	78.00
" "	" Ned Herbert,	3.26
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		\$202.55

TOWN POOR.

Paid J. S. Sargent, aid to James Smith,	\$48.42
C. R. Gould, medical services, James Smith,	23.00
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	\$71.42

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

Paid W. C. Hill,	\$40.15
Byron Shaw,	27.33
Morrill Moore,	30.11
E. G. Heath,	22.48
Benjamin Glines,	4.21
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	\$124.28

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid J. F. Kimball, road machine,	\$221.00
E. A. Perkins, insurance, Town Hall,	21.25
Selectmen, interest on \$1,000, June 3 to Dec.29,	32.67
H. A. Morse, printing order blanks,	1.75
J. L. Loverin, team to Franklin in March, 1893,	1.25

F. H. Merrill, tunnel, pipe, etc., for water closet, 1890,	\$ 1.35
Town of Tilton, use of lobby,	15.00
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	\$294.27

CURRENT EXPENSE.

Paid E. D. Forrest, auditor, 1893,	\$ 3.00
L. M. French, " "	3.00
A. H. Hill, " "	3.00
Gardner S. Abbott, expense as selectman, 1892,	1.50
Edwin D. Forrest, supervisor,	5.00
Lowell M. French, " "	5.00
H. P. Prescott, memorial appropriation,	50.00
Town & Robie, printing reports,	50.25
Edson C. Eastman, blank books,	15.35
A. S. Ballantyne, library appropriation,	150.00
C. H. Ayers, parsonage interest,	22.00
A. T. Cass, balance library appropriation, 1892-3,	150.00
Hiram Streeter, watering tub,	3.00
Wm. C. French, " "	3.00
E. R. Glines, " "	3.00
Oscar Gates, " "	3.00
J. S. Sargent, repairing watering tub,	13.00
L. R. Brown, service as constable,	8.00
Willie C. Sargent, service as constable,	20.00
M. G. Keasor, repairing watering trough,	28.50
J. S. Sargent, health officer,	15.00
C. R. Gould, certificates of births and deaths,	4.00
Gawn E. Gorrell, member of school board,	28.00
C. J. Chamberlin, " " "	28.00
Mabel W. Glines, " " "	28.00
Jason Foss, service and expense as selectmen,	90.00
Frank W. Shaw, " " "	90.00
Arthur H. Hill, " " "	90.00

Luther H. Morrill, town clerk,	\$40.00
“ “ recording marriages, births and deaths,	7.35
Luther H. Morrill, stationary and expense,	3.38
Albert C. Lord, town treasurer,	30.00
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	\$993.33

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

CONTRACTED BEFORE MARCH 31, 1893.

Paid Albert L. Titcomb, breaking roads,	\$ 9.84
Alexander C. Dow, “ “	8.79
George W. Corliss, “ “	14.75
William J. McDuff, “ “	6.80
R. N. S. Bachelder, labor in 1891,	4.00
“ “ breaking roads,	7.00
Philip Gill, “ “	2.76
Oscar P. Sanborn, “ “	5.00
Kendrick Ludlow, “ “	6.48
L. R. Brown, “ “ Dis. No. 10,	10.25
Daniel Sanborn, “ “ “ 14,	12.18
William Roberts, “ “	6.65
John B. Yeaton, “ “	10.50
John B. Marden, “ “	13.54
Hiram Streeter, “ “	16.60
John Mitchell, “ “	4.30
Byron Shaw, “ “ Dis. No. 15,	
16 and 17,	41.00
John Philbook, “ “	9.48
Josiah Dearborn, labor on highway,	1.66
E. F. Kimball, breaking roads,	6.00
John Roberts, “ “	10.00
W. Smith Hill, “ “ Dis. No. 10, 15, 27,	9.60
“ “ labor on highway,	3.15
Horace Tobine, “ “	1.50

W. Y. Hill, breaking roads,	\$ 9.84
Albion Loverin, " "	2.25
William B. Clark, labor in 1892,	2.80
Warren H. Smith, " " 1890,	10.00
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	\$246.72

TOWN IN ACCOUNT WITH JOHN S. SARGENT ROAD AGENT.

Dr. to cash as per receipts,	\$508.44
Cr.	

By cash paid out as follows:

Henry Dearborn, labor,	\$ 3.00
Charles Collins, "	1.50
Samuel Adams, "	45.00
Ned G. Herbert, "	1.50
W. Y. Hill, "	7.50
William J. Mc Duff, "	2.15
Fred Cross, "	18.00
Winsow & Glines, "	1.85
Frank Collins, "	3.00
Richard Dearborn, "	3.00
Charles Adams, "	3.75
E. L. Sanborn & Son, drain head,	1.75
Fred Lord, labor.	1.50
Willie C. Sargent, "	38.25
Luther Cadue, "	9.00
Edwin Leavitt, "	2.75
C. T. French, "	6.00
A. Huckins, "	1.25
J. S. Sargent, "	98.10
Philbrick & Hill, for paint,	14.48
A. H. Brown, labor,	7.25
George Knapp, plank,	28.17
Oscar Reed, painting bridges,	25.00
M. G. Keasor, drain pipe,	37.60

Forrest & Hill, road machine,	\$117.65
Willie C. Sargent, breaking roads,	7.25
S. T. Holmes, " "	4.00
J. S. Sargent, " "	11.84
E. H. Bullock, " "	6.35
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	\$508.44 \$508.44

TOWN IN ACCOUNT WITH BYRON SHAW, ROAD AGENT.

Dr. To cash as per receipts,	\$270 38
Cr.	

By cash paid as follows:

Byron Shaw, labor,	\$ 49.70
Henry Kenison, "	16.60
R. N. S. Bachelder, "	.75
Oscar Gates, "	6.17
A. Sargent, "	10.50
Frank Glines, "	8.25
Charles Philbrook, "	1.50
E. R. Glines, poles for bridge rails,	2.00
A. McDonald, irons " "	3.00
T. S. Austin, labor,	1.00
Byron Shaw for covering stone,	1.25
" " bridge plank,	7.64
" " powder and fuse,	.40
Forrest & Hill, road machine,	109.40
George W. Fittz, labor,	2.25
Willis Glines, "	2.25
J. P. Watson, "	.75
B. F. Stevens, "	.25
Sylvanous Whicher, "	1.50
Byron Shaw, breaking roads,	20.70
Hiram Streeter, " "	4.00
W. C. French, " "	1.55
Oscar Gates, " "	1.28

Charles Philbrook, breaking roads,		\$8.13
Frank Glines, " "		4.65
Daniel Sanborn, " "		1.00
Charles Dearborn, " "		2.41
Frank Collins, " "		1.50
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	\$270.38	\$270.38

THE TOWN IN ACCOUNT WITH EDWIN D. FORREST, ROAD AGENT.

Dr. to cash as per receipts, \$322.06

Cr.

By cash paid as follows:

Herman F. Johnson, labor,	\$.75
George C. Hulbert, "	24.00
Alexander C. Dow, "	18.15
Herbert L. Cram, "	6.40
Frank J. French, "	8.75
Lowell M. French, "	2.30
John Mitchell, "	1.10
William G. Twombly, "	18.37
Byron Dow, "	1.50
Frank Dow, "	1.50
George Wheeler, "	6.15
Frank Robinson, "	6.48
Forrest & Hill, road machine,	226.61
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	\$322.06

\$322.06

THE TOWN IN ACCOUNT WITH L. M. FRENCH, ROAD AGENT.

Dr. to cash as per receipts, 17.71

Cr.

By cash paid as follows:

C. W. Whicher, breaking roads,	\$ 1.78
F. W. Shaw, " "	1.50
L. M. French, " "	14.43
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	\$17.71

\$17.71

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT WITH JOSEPH W. HUNKINS, COLLECTOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1894.

Amount of tax committed,		\$6,453.82
Paid Treasurer,	\$6,159.01	
Abatements and errors,	54.19	
Fees for collecting,	96.90	
Uncollected,	143.72	
	<hr/>	\$6,453.82

INVENTORY, APRIL 1st, 1893.

245 Polls,	\$ 24,500.00	
Real estate,	386,564.00	
Horses,	16,076.00	
Oxen,	2,830.00	
Cows,	6,297.00	
Neat stock,	1,022.00	
Sheep,	693.00	
Hogs,	41.00	
Fowls,	16.00	
Carriages,	825.00	
Stock in public fund,	2,100.00	
Stock in banks,	1,300.00	
Surplus capital,	1,000.00	
Money on hand,	9,222.00	
Stock in trade,	14,190.00	
Mills and machinery,	32,300.00	
Buildings not designated,	750.00	
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TAX AUTHORIZED.

Town debt,	\$ 300.00
Road machine,	300.00
Memorial fund,	50.00
Library appropriation,	250.00

School money,	\$1,012.00	
Parsonage interest,	22.00	
School fund interest,	42.00	
State tax,	1,265.00	
County tax,	1,275.49	
Highway tax,	1,245.21	
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	\$5,761.70	
5 per cent added,	288.08	
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Total amount authorized,		\$6,049.78
\$499,726×\$1.21=		\$6,046.68
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Margin,		\$3.10

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Tax authorized.		
Reparing school houses,	\$100.00	
School supplies,	100.00	
Extra school money,	200.00	
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		\$400.00
5 per cent. added,		20.00
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Total amount authorized,		\$420.00
\$271,430×15c=		407.14
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Margin,		\$12.86

TAX AS COMMITTED TO JOSEPH W. HUNKINS,
COLLECTOR.

Amount committed,	\$6,453.82	
Regular money tax,		\$6,046.68
Extra school money, Town District,		407.14
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		\$6,453.82

RATE OF TAXATION.

Regular money tax, \$1.21. Town school district, 15c.

Respectfully submitted,

JASON FOSS,	}	Selectmen of Northfield.
FRANK W. SHAW,		
ARTHUR H. HILL,		

Northfield, N. H., February 15, 1894.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer of the Town of Northfield submits the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending Feb. 15th, 1894 :

RECEIPTS.

March 1st, 1893, cash on hand,	\$2,986.66
Iona Savings bank deposit,	1,598.85
Rec'd of Friendship Grange,	4.15
" J. W. Hunkins, Col. taxes 1892,	330.00
" " " " " 1893,	6,159.01
" " " " interest,	8.08
" " " Col. highway	
taxes, 1891,	16.10
" Wm. M. Cogswell, note & interest,	37.00
" W. B. Fellows, (Joe Burke fine)	3.00
" " (Henry Dearborn fine)	2.00
" F. B. Lord, rent of town hall,	6.00
" Iona Savings bank dividend,	23.80
" Selectmen,	1,207.05
" State Treas., savings bank tax,	1,458.87
" " " railroad tax,	219.30
" " " literary fund,	104.12
" L. H. Morrill, town clerk, dog	
licenses,	124.20

\$14,288.19

PAID OUT.

Town Bonds,	\$5,100.00
Coupons,	180.00
State tax,	1,265.00
County tax,	1,275.49
Selectmen's orders,	5,667.88
Cash on hand,	799.82

\$14,288.19

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The subscribers having examined the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer for the year ending February 15, 1894, respectfully submit that we find the same correctly cast and properly vouched. The following is a statement of the financial condition of the town:

The selectmen charge the treasurer with having received, \$14,288.19

Of this amount the treasurer has paid as follows:

State tax,	\$1,265.00
County tax,	1,275.49
Coupons	180.00
Town bonds,	5,100.00
Loan of selectmen,	1,000.00
Interest,	23.75
School supplies.	100.00
“ buildings,	100.00
“ money,	1,390.47
County poor,	202.55
Town “	71.42
Sheep killed by dogs, 1893,	124.28
Road agents,	1,118.59
Miscellaneous bills,	294.27
Current expenses,	993.33
Bounty on hawks,	2.50
Roads and bridges to March 31, 1893,	246.72
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Total amount paid,	\$13,488.37
Leaving a balance in hands of treasurer,	\$799.82

AVAILABLE MEANS.

Cash in hands of treasurer,	\$799.82	
Taxes estimated good,	125.00	
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LIABILITIES.

Dog tax due town school district,	\$38.45	
Outstanding bills,	75.00	
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Leaving surplus above liabilities of	\$811.37	

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN D. FORREST,	}	Board of Auditors.
C. W. WHICHER,		
JOHN S. WINSLOW,		

Northfield, N. H., February 15, 1894.

Report of the School Board

FOR THE

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NORTHIFELD.

In presenting this annual report of our schools, we wish to congratulate you upon the successful termination of the school year, which we have reason to believe has been a prosperous one for the advancement of education.

Our teachers have all honestly and faithfully discharged the duties that devolved upon them, and the pupils have made commendable progress under their instruction.

The length of the school year was nearly equal to the preceding year, but a glance at the Treasurer's report shows a balance of \$145.72 on hand, and includes the Literary Fund, which we did not receive nor get any estimate of, until after Feb. 1, 1894, therefore we have been unable to give the District the benefit of it the past year.

The average daily attendance in some of our schools has not been as creditable as we might expect and hope for. Whenever a parent or guardian detains a child from school for work, they take from the child's future fortune many times the value of his time for work and he is robbed by his nearest friends.

A judicious expenditure of the appropriation for repairs, has placed a part of the school property in a substantial and attractive condition. The school houses in Centre, Rand, Bay Hill, and Tebbets districts, have received a much needed coat of paint. The shed at Bean Hill has been repaired and painted, blinds placed on the school house, the grounds graded and enclosed by a permanent fence. We hope the same amount will

be appropriated this year to make needed repairs on the remaining buildings.

Two complete charts have been purchased and each school now has one of these valuable instruments.

To write English quickly and with ease is something not easily or quickly acquired. Training to speak and write should have a definite place in every school and not be left to a general exercise two or three times a year, and with a view to this end we have introduced Miss Hyde's Lessons in Language, which has been heartily welcomed by teachers and pupils. If there is any book that should be placed in our schools the coming year it is Colburn's Mental Arithmetic.

We would call the attention of our citizens to the need of a course of study for our schools and we trust that this suggestion will meet with so much favor that the School Board will feel justified in adopting a carefully prepared plan of study that will insure the small pupils learning more than reading and spelling in the first two years, aid the teachers in classifying the school and save the great waste of time that results from every change of teachers where the school has no plan of work.

We feel that in the death of Mr. Benjamin Gale late chairman of our board the cause of education has lost a true friend, the district one of its best citizens, an honest man the noblest work of God.

Centre.

This school has been in charge of Miss Mabel J. McDuff, an inexperienced teacher who possesses to a marked degree the happy faculty of winning the love of her pupils, thus making her work in the school-room satisfactory to both children and parents. Miss McDuff was very ambitious, and labored earnestly for the advancement of her school. The oral instruction was especially commendable.

Hodgdon.

It is a sufficient guarantee of a successful school to secure the services of Miss Etta F. Heath, whose school always ranks first

in point of promptness, thoroughness and order.

Rand.

The pupils in this school have been under the instruction of Annie R. Forrest. This was Miss Forrest's first experience in teaching, and by her tact and dignity in the school room has shown an aptitude for the work. A large amount of thorough and practical work was accomplished.

Bean Hill.

Mrs. Belle W. Robertson has taught this school for several terms with excellent success.

The scholars are very studious and ambitious to excel.

The music in this school was admirable.

Depot.

This school was taught by Miss Kate H. Sanborn, a teacher of experience in the schools of this town. Good progress was made in all the branches taught.

Tebbetts.

Miss Christie A. Cass of Canterbury was in charge of this school. She worked hard for the good of her pupils, and exhibited the elements of a systematic and thorough teacher.

Roll of Honor.

CENTRE.—SUMMER TERM.

Ethel Prescott, Edith Dearborn, Winfred P. Sanborn, Theodore M. Sanborn, Earnest C. Sanborn.

FALL TERM.

Grace Gale, Ethel Prescott, Frank Dubia, Theodore M. Sanborn, Earnest C. Sanborn, Winfred P. Sanborn.

HODGDON.—SUMMER TERM.

Julia E. Durgin, Myra E. Langley, Bennie A. Glines, Leon M. Ludlow, Everitte S. Shaw.

FALL TERM.

Leon M. Ludlow.

RAND.—SUMMER TERM.

Harvey W. Corliss, Fred C. Whicher, Abram W. Rand, Olive A. Rand.

FALL TERM.

Luella L. Brown, Harvey W. Corliss, Susie Hurlburt, Abram W. Rand, Gertrude J. St. Louis, Georgia C. St. Louis, Arthur Twombly.

BEAN HILL.—SUMMER TERM.

Lillian E. Davis, Harry A. Piper.

FALL TERM.

Lillian E. Davis, Merton L. Kimball, Harry A. Piper.

DEPOT.—SUMMER TERM.

Roy Lovejoy, Arthur Morrill.

FALL TERM.

Roy Lovejoy, Arthur Morrill, Mary Glines.

TEBBETTS.—SUMMER TERM.

Susie Downing, Ina Downing, Ethel Tebbetts.

FALL TERM.

Lizzie Tebbetts.

Respectfully Submitted,

MABEL W. GLINES,	}	School Board of Northfield
GAWN E. GORRELL,		
C. J. CHAMBERLAIN,		

Northfield, N. H., February 15, 1894.

Report of the Treasurer

—OF THE—

NORTHFIELD TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

The Treasurer has received as follows:

From town Treasurer, school money,	\$772.23
“ “ “ literary fund,	104.12
“ “ “ appropriation for school supplies,	100.00
“ “ “ “ “ “	
buildings,	100.00
Balance in treasury March 1, 1893,	18.40
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Total amount,	\$1,094.75

ACCOUNTED FOR AS FOLLOWS.

Paid for summer schools:

Kate H. Sanborn,	\$49.50
Annie R. Forrest,	49.50
Mabel J. McDuff,	54.00
Belle W. Robertson,	44.00
Etta F. Heath,	54.00
Christie A. Cass,	44.00
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Total amount, \$295.00

Paid for fall schools:

Kate H. Sanborn,	\$66.00
Etta F. Heath,	72.00
Mabel J. McDuff,	72.00
Annie R. Forrest,	66.00

Belle W. Robertson,	\$71.50	
Christie A. Cass,	66.00	
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Total amount,		\$413.50
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Total amount paid for schools,		\$708.50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid American Express Co., express,	\$.70	
Mabel W. Glines, cash paid for express,	1.00	
R. W. Musgrove, school notices and rolls of honor,	2.55	
American Express Co., express,	.30	
A. H. Brown, wood, (Centre Dist.,)	3.75	
John W. Glines, putting on lock, etc.,	.25	
American Express Co., express,	.25	
Byron Shaw, cash paid for sawing wood,	.50	
Byron Shaw, cash paid for 1 cord wood,	5.25	
F. H. Merrill, repairs for stove,	1.60	
F. H. Merrill, stove pipe, etc.,	3.05	
Gawn E. Gorrell, 1 cord wood,	5.00	
A. H. Brown, wood, (Centre Dist.,)	4.00	
R. W. Musgrove, rolls of honor,	.70	
F. C. Robertson, wood, etc.,	5.00	
Arthur H. Corliss, sawing wood, etc.,	.75	
Herbert Dow, " "	.35	
M. C. Allen, cupboard for school supplies,	2.35	
Philbrick & Hill, nails, locks, brooms, glass, etc.,	5.30	
Gawn E. Gorrell, 1-2 cord wood,	2.50	
J. M. Philbrook, wood,	2.25	
David Phelps, sawing wood, etc.,	.50	
O. S. Reed, painting blackboards, (Centre Dist.,)	2.61	
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Total amount,		\$50.51

SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Paid Jeremiah Dow, labor,	\$ 1.00	
Gawn E. Gorrell, labor,	1.00	
Gawn E. Gorrell, drawing shingles and staging,	2.00	
Lowell M. French, paint,	25.00	
“ “ freight on paint,	.50	
Josiah Dearborn, lumber,	.80	
L. D. Sleeper, blinds, etc., Bean Hill school house,	14.00	
L. M. French, paint,	15.00	
“ “ freight on paint,	.50	
“ “ shingling Rand school house,	2.50	
L. M. French, painting Rand school house,	.8.55	
L. M. French, “ Bay Hill school house,	8.85	
A. H. Brown, 3 1-2 thousand shingles,	7.42	
Byron Shaw, labor,	.50	
J. W. Henry, painting Centre school buildings,	5.50	
J. W. Henry, painting, etc., Bean Hill school buildings,	2.50	
A. H. Brown, clapboards,	1.80	
A. C. Dow, labor,	2.75	
M. C. Allen, painting Tebbetts school house,	7.65	
Philbrick & Hill, oil, etc.,	3.85	
Total amount,		\$111.67

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Paid Mabel W. Glines, cash paid for supplies,	\$11.84
G. S. Bartlett, supplies,	1.30
E. H. Proctor & Co., supplies,	2.81

C. P. Herrick, supplies,	\$ 1.40
D. C. Heath & Co., supplies,	11.70
Boston School Supply Co., supplies,	2.17
Edward E. Babb & Co., “	4.05
H. C. Reankin, 2 complete charts,	32.00
E. H. Proctor, supplies,	.76

Total amount,	\$68.03
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FENCE & GRADING BEAN HILL SCHOOL HOUSE LOT.

Paid John B. Marden, labor,	\$2.00
John W. Glines, posts,	2.70
George E. Davis, lumber, etc.,	2.37
G. E. Knapp, boards,	3.25

Total amount,	\$10.32
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SUMMARY.

Received from all sources,	\$1,094.75
Total expenditures,	949.03

Balance in treasury,	\$145.72
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Respectfully submitted,

GAWN E. GORRELL, Treasurer.

Northfield, N. H., February 21, 1894.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The subscribers having examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the School Board, for the year ending February 15, 1894, respectfully submit that we find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

The Treasurer has received,		\$1,094.75
Paid for schools,	\$708.50	
Miscellaneous bills,	50.51	
Repairing school buildings,	111.67	
School supplies,	68.03	
Fence and grading Bean Hill school house lot,	10.32	
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Total amount paid out,		\$949.03
Balance in treasury, deposited in Citizens' National Bank,		\$145.72
Respectfully submitted,		

EDWIN D. FORREST,	} Board of Auditors.
C. W. WHICHER,	
JOHN S. WINSLOW,	

Northfield, N. H., February 21, 1894.

Statistical Table.

Schools.	Name of Teachers.		No. Weeks Summer Term.	No. Weeks Fall Term.	No. Pupils Summer Term.	No. Pupils Fall Term.	Reading and Spelling.	Pennmanship.	Arithmetic.	Grammar.	History.	Composition.	Vocal music.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Natural History.	No. Not Absent.	Tardiness.	Average Daily Attendance.	No. Visits by School Board.	No. Visits by Parents and others.
Centre	M. J. McDuff,	9	23	25	23	25	23	23	10	2	23	23	4	19	4			5	8	17	3	14
Hodgdon	E. F. Heath,	9	12	14	12	14	12	10	5	6	1	6	14	1	3			5	11	22	2	43
Rand	A. R. Forrest,	9	12	10	10	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	10	1	1			4	9	12	2	31
Bean Hill	B. W. Robertson,	8	12	13	13	8	6	3	3	1	3	3	1	1	1			7	2	10	2	5
Depot	K. H. Sanborn,	9	10	10	10	8	4	4	4	4			3	6	1			1	6	2	20	15
Tebbetts	C. A. Cass.	8	12	17	17	12	8	5	5	4	2	4	6	1	1			3	6	2	18	18
		12	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	2	2	4	6	2	2			1	10	6	2	2

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION,
UNION DISTRICT.

The changing of the school year, which has been made by the present Board, makes the report, which is usually enclosed in the Annual Report of Tilton and Northfield, very incomplete and we suggest that the tax payers and parents attend the Annual School Meeting, which will be called on Friday, March 16th, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., at which time full reports and propositions will be made, looking to a better plan of choosing the Board of Education.

We have, as before suggested, changed the school year and introduced a course of studies which we think, with the assistance of the parents, will be of lasting benefit to the school and village.

There has been started, by some of our public spirited citizens, with the approval of this Board, an evening school which we think should receive your careful attention.

In starting on our official year we were met with the resignation of our popular and efficient Principal, D. W. C. Durgin. Together with the other changes, which were unavoidable, we felt we had a hard year before us; but we overcame all obstacles and feel that the several schools have made good progress and we recommend the engaging of all the present teachers so far as possible.

We have made great improvements in the school buildings and grounds and think with a small outlay each year the school

buildings will be fairly good for several years to come. We have had thirty-seven weeks of school, paid our teachers monthly and kept inside of our appropriations, all of which we submit for your consideration.

LEWIS A. HOITT,	}	Board
FRANK HILL,		of
Mrs. ALBERT LORD,		Education

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

—OF THE—

Tilton and Northfield Library Association.

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 1893.	Balance from last year,	\$151.04
Aug. 4, 1893.	Rec'd of Town of Tilton,	100.00
“ 21 “ “ “	Northfield,	150.00
		<hr/> \$401.04

EXPENDITURES.

286 new books,	\$317.42
Freight and express,	4.57
Insurance,	62.00
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	\$383.99

Feb. 1894. Cash on hand,	\$17.05
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Under the provisions of Chapter 8, Public Statutes, 176 vols.
were placed in the Library by the State.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK HILL, ARTHUR H. HILL, ARTHUR T. CASS, W. B. FELLOWS, C. C. SAMPSON,	}	TRUSTEES.
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February, 1894.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

—OF THE—

Hall Memorial Library Building.

RECEIPTS.

Dec. 21, 1892.	Balance from last year,	\$ 55.14
1893.	Rec'd Town of Tilton,	150.00
"	" " " Northfield,	150.00
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		\$355.14

EXPENDITURES.

1893.	Repairs on building,	\$144.95
	Coal and Wood,	66.02
	Oil and Supplies,	22.20
	Insurance,	15.00
	L. F. Batchelder, janitor,	62.50
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		\$310.67

Dec. 30, 1893.	Cash on hand,	\$44.47
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Respectfully submitted,

C. E. TILTON,	}	TRUSTEES.
A. S. BALLANTYNE,		
ELIZA B. COFRAN,		

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Northfield:

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex & Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
		Male	Female	No. of Child Living or Stillborn								
Feb. 18		M	L	1	Walter B. Cross	Abbie B. Chase	Northfield	Laborer	Northfield	Webster	21	18
Mar. 23		M	F	3	David Fenton	Annie B. Stevens	"	Farmer	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	29	25
" 23		M	F	2	Frank C. Robertson	Belle W. Gle	"	"	Northfield	Northfield	33	40
May 5		M	L	1	Edwin V. Leavett	Nancy A. Jackson	"	Laborer	Melbourne P. Q.	Melbourne P. Q.	27	25
June 15		M	L	4	Simon B. Keuston	Etta M. Randall	"	"	Northfield	Canterbury	30	32
July 30	Henry St. Louis	M	L	4	Cornelius W. St. Louis	Frances G. Fay	"	Farmer	Johnson Vt.	Boston Mass.	29	24
Aug. 7		M	L	3	Will M. Glines	Etta L. LaFarron	"	Carpenter	Northfield	Hyde Park Vt.	36	33
" 8		M	L	3	Edwin R. Glines	Carrie E. Mooney	"	Farmer	"	Sandwich	32	21
" 17		M	L	2	Albert Desmarres	Maria Paquette	Lowell, Ms	Spinner	Candia	"	22	21
Sept. 14		M	L	2	William A. Twombly	Lilla A. Smith	Northfield	Farmer	Northfield	Jersey City N. J.	21	26
Oct. 22		M	S	2	William J. Crawford	Mary Pearson	"	"	Glasgow Scotland	Franklin	28	23
Dec. 14		M	L	3	Irvin W. Chapman	Leticia G. Miller	"	Carpenter	Brooklyn Conn.	Glasgow Scotland	40	35
" 30		M	L	1	Charles F. Patrick	Fannie E. Basset	"	Farmer	Brooklyn Conn.	Brooklyn Conn.	28	24
Sept. 22		M	L	1	Abdon W. Libby	Clara Gowin	"	Laborer	Sherbrook Canada	Warren	36	33
Sept. 12		M	L	3	Edgar E. Hulse	Rachel W. Steward	"	"	E. Hampton N. Y.	Warren	35	30
Nov. 21	John Roger Hulse	M	L	3		Flora M. Gould	"	Teacher	E. Hampton N. Y.	Parsonsfield Me.	35	30

MARRIAGES.

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence each at time of Marriage	Age of each, yrs.	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. of Marriage	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Lakeport Jan. 4	Henry W. Leach	Lowell Mass	40		Carpenter	Orange Mass	Whiteman Leach	Lowell Mass.	Housewife	2	Daniel C. Easton Gifford
	Jennie M. Glines	Northfield	42		Housekeeper	Lawrence Mass	Mary C. Johnson Almond Slade	Lowell Mass. Ackworth		2	
Nth. Troy Vt. Jan. 25	Daniel W. Whitney	Northfield	28		Brakeman	Northfield	Israel E. Whitney	Maine	Farmer	1	E. J. Boardman Newport Ct.
	Jennie M. Langtry	N. Troy Vt.	22		Dressmaker	North Troy Vt.	Sarah A. Whitney A. J. Langway	Northfield	Housewife	1	
Tilton Feb. 7	Geo. W. Whitney	Northfield	33		Brakeman	Maine	Israel D. Whitney	Maine	Farmer	2	C. C. Sampson Tilton
	Sarah Armstrong	Jamaica Pt's	39		Dressmaker	Sahmon Falls	Sarah A. Sewell William Ham	Northfield Portsmouth Gilmanton	Book-keeper Housewife	2	
Tilton Mar. 25	Charles Forger	Lowell Mass	21		Coachman	Lowell Mass.	Phebe Brown		Housewife	1	W. H. Hutchin Tilton
	Lizzie Dow	Northfield	23		Housekeeper	Northfield	Jeremiah Dow	Northfield	Farmer	1	
S. Berwick Me May 7	Reuben H. Page	Northfield	23		Carpenter	Chelsea Me.	Lucretia Glines Isaac L. Page	Chelsea Me.	Housewife	1	G. F. Cobb
	Annie E. Stockpole	S. Berwick Me	21		Shoemaker	S. Berwick Me.	Emma Rand Geo. Stockpole	"	Shoe-maker	1	S. Berwick Me.
Loudon R'ge May 7	Ellery Jeffs	Northfield	24	White	Carpenter	Alstead	Roseter Gould	London	Housewife	1	John Parsons Northwood
	Lizzie M. Batchelder	London	22		School-teacher	London	Mason Jeffs Callista S. Clark	"	Farmer	1	
Franklin April 29	Perry S. Mooney	Northfield	35		Eye-glass mk'r	Sandwich	Jere. Batchelder Sarah L. Leavitt	Sandwich	Housewife	2	J. H. Bliss Franklin
	Adelia Ann Tenney	"	21		Housekeeper	Salamanca N. Y.	Isaac G. Mooney Mary Ann Vickery	Moultonboro Holden Mass.	Engineer	2	
Tilton June 10	Ira S. Durgin	"	22		Laborer	Franklin	David W. Tenney Elvira S. Wright	New Hampton	Housewife	1	C. C. Sampson Tilton
	Rosia Sulloway	Tilton	16		Housekeeper	Candia	Stacy I. Durgin Diana Evans	Northfield	Housewife	1	
Laconia June 21	Gothold F. Perthel	Northfield	22		Operative	Germany	Fred A. Perthel	Germany	Operative	1	J. D. Gilliland Tilton
	Wenda M. Hadley	Laconia	22		Housekeeper	Campton	Christine Gephardt Daniel H. Hadley	"	Housewife	1	
Belmont Sept. 30	Elmer W. Dearborn	Northfield	33		Painter	Lakeport	Ellen S. Smith Geo. W. Dearborn	Campton	Housewife	2	A. Kidder Belmont
	Emma F. Pickard	Canterbury	21		Operative	Canterbury	Amanda Dow Frank O. Pickard	Canterbury Ireland	Farmer	1	
Northfield Oct. 25	Charles T. Foster	Leoni'ster Ms	24		Book-keeper	"	Mary Lee Moses A. Foster	Canterbury	Housewife	1	C. C. Sampson Tilton
	Eva G. Hill	Northfield	24		School-teacher	Tilton	Ruth Richardson Joseph Hill	Canterbury	Housewife	1	
							Annette Hancock				

DEATHS.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex, Condit'n			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Cause of Death
		Years	Months		Days	Male	Female		Color	Single			
All Northfield													
Jan. 8	Daniel B. Clement	66	8	12	Goffstown	M	W	Painter	Dunbarton	Amherst	Daniel M. Clement	Abigail Stevens	Chronic Cystitis
Mar. 9	Joseph H. Kimball	43			Piermont	M	M	Housewife	Lowell	Mas	Irwin B. Wright	Lizzie Presley	Spinal Disease
" 10	Alice M. Sanborn	18	10	26	Northfield	M	F	Housewife	Northfield	"	Frank C. Robertson	Belle W. Gile	Gastritis and Inflammation
" 23					"	M	F	Farmer	Canterbury	Canterbury	Benjamin Glines	Taney Sawyer	LaGrippe
" 24	Obediah Glines	89	1	14	"	M	S	Housekeeper	Northfield	"	Jonathan Whicher	Sallie Heath	"
" 30	Eliza J. Whicher	78	17		"	M	F	Merchant	E. Concord	"	Jonathan Eastman	Sarah Palmer	Organic Heart Disease
Apr. 7	Franklin J. Eastman	74	9	28	Danville Vt.	M	W	Housekeeper	Warner	Warner	Daniel Watson	Nancy Jackson	Heart Disease
" 13	Lucy B. Glines	77	13		Salisbury	M	S	Shoemaker	Concord	"	Charles S. Abbott	Nurse	LaGrippe & Erysipelas
" 29	Charles E. Abbott	17	3	28	Northfield	M	S	Scholar	Melb'ne PQ	Northfield	Edwin V. Leavitt	Selma M. Cadue	Influenza
May 5	Levi O. Perthel	15	1	3	"	M	F	Housewife	Northfield	"	Benjamin Glines	Anna L. Robertson	LaGrippe & Pneumonia
" 12	Nellie M. Glines	31	11	25	Littleton	M	S	Housewife	Fairlee Vt.	Auburn Me	Frank Miller	Clyde F. Bean	Heart Disease & Dropsy
June 17	Susan Williams	51	6	8	Concord	M	F	Housewife	Canterbury	Canterbury	William Bedell	Maivna Parquet	Tubercular Meningitis
" 28	Guy E. Miller	1	1	10	Candia	M	S	Scholar	Danbury	Northfield	Charles L. Sanborn	Annie J. Roberts	Cholera Infantum
Sept. 3	Joseph LaPlant	39	3	5	Danbury	M	F	Housewife	Candia	Northfield	Gawn A. Gorrell	Sallie Clough	Heart Disease
" 11	Earnest L. Sanborn	77	3	5	Underhill Vt.	M	M	Farmer	Salisbury	Franklin	B. F. Gale	Lucy Peavare	LaGrippe
Oct. 24	Rosa Minor	61	3	9	Northfield	M	M	Dyer	Northfield	Canterbury	Edward Osgood	Nancy Keasor	Pneumonia
Dec. 28	Albert Gorrell	82	2	21	"	M	M	Farmer	Canterbury	Canterbury	John Chamberlain	Clough	LaGrippe
" 31	Benjamin Gale	71	1	3	Loudon	M	M	Clergyman	Canterbury	Canterbury	John Chamberlain	Clough	Pneumonia
" 31	Abram Dearborn					M	M	"					LaGrippe
" 31	Asa K. Osgood					M	M	"					LaGrippe
Jan. 1	John Chamberlain					M	M	"					Old Age
						M	M	"					Cancer Spleen

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief,

LUTHER H. MORRILL, Town Clerk.

